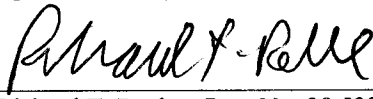


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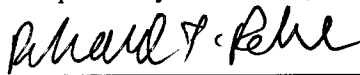
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The Applicants hereby elect Group I, Species 1 (Figures 8-12) for initial prosecution on the merits. It is submitted that claims 1-10 read on Species 1 of Figures 8-12.

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